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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 25,

Line 42, " $\text{Fe}_{1-a}\text{Pt}_a$  a is a number" should read --  $\text{Fe}_{1-a}\text{Pt}_a$ , a is a number --.

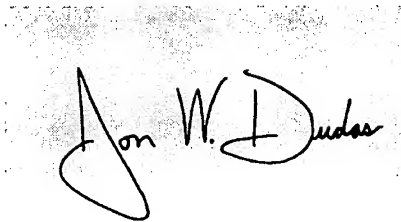
Column 26,

Line 8, "according to claim 6" should read -- according to claim 9 --.

Line 10, "by the formula  $\text{Fe}_{1-c}\text{M}_c$ ," should read -- by the formula  $\text{Fe}_{1-c}\text{M}_c$  --.

Signed and Sealed this

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